

WEATHER REPORT.

Mr. Flanery's report of weather observations from Monday, August 6 to Sunday, Aug. 12, gives the following figures:

	Temperature	Rainfall
	Highest	Lowest
Monday	80	66
Tuesday	80	68
Wednesday	85	68
Thursday	80	68
Friday	80	70
Saturday	81	69
Sunday	85	67
Average	80	67
Total	4.37	

IDEAS.

The other day Senator Elkins said: A man may chase dollars and get happiness, but the trouble comes when dollars begins to chase him. That explains much of the world's unrest.

The Widow—Now gittin' right down to cold, habd facts, Mose, what am yo' prospect?

The Sutor—Mah deah I've got a good job as managah ob a laundry in sight.

The Widow—Well, yo' want teh git dat out ob sight an' fo'git it! Mah last husband had dat same hallucination, but de lady who promised teh lub, honeh an' obey him po'stively refused teh be de laundry!—Puck.

The modern city needs the strength and vitality of the country boy. But that country boy who thinks of escaping the supposed isolation and toil of the farm by plunging into the awful whirl of our congested centers entertains the wildest sort of a dream.

A whole lot of people plead mightily for a two-edged law. The side toward them must be blunt; the side toward their neighbor must have a razor-finish.—J. Marvin Nichols

FROM THE WIDE WORLD.

At present children in the public schools in England are taught the doctrines of the Episcopalian church at public expense, whether they be the children of members of that church or of Baptist, Methodist or others churches. There has been a great deal of protest against such ridiculous laws, many members of other churches having gone to prison for a few days or weeks rather than pay taxes to support such teaching. A few days ago the House of Commons of the English Parliament passed a bill changing this absurd law, so that from January 1908 such sectarian teaching at public expense is to be no more. This bill must first be acted upon by the House of Lords, however, and it is quite certain that they would defeat it if they dared. It remains to be seen if they dare.

There seems to be no news coming from Russia now. That means that the government will not allow any news to be sent out of the country, which it does not approve, and the news which would otherwise come out, is such that it does not wish it to be known.

IN OUR OWN COUNTRY.

The Democrats in Illinois are about to have an interesting fight in their State Convention in Peoria. Some weeks ago Bryan wrote a letter from Europe asking Roger C. Sullivan, a member of the Democratic National Committee, and a very cunning "boss" in that machine, to resign his position, because he was not properly appointed to it, and did not represent the party. Sullivan refused and now six hundred of his pledged adherents are on the way to the state convention at Peoria, where he has engaged all the best hotel accommodations in advance. There will doubtless be a lively fight in the convention.

One of the most heated campaigns ever conducted within the Republican party of Iowa, has just been closed by the State convention of that state. It has made some declarations in its platform which show progress in the right direction. It declares in favor of a primary election law, and of election of United States senators by direct vote of the people. It denounces the corrupting influence of corporations in politics and government, and says: "We pledge ourselves to the enactment of such laws as will render it unprofitable and unpopular for corporations to engage in politics or in any way contribute to political campaigns." It condemns "assaults upon the protective system" but favors "such reasonable and timely changes as will keep the tariff in harmony with our industrial and commercial progress."

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY.

The Republican Primary Election for nomination of a candidate for United States Congressman for the eleventh Congressional district, will be held this week Saturday. This district comprises the following counties: Adair, Bell, Casey, Clay, Clinton, Harlan, Knox, Letcher, Metcalfe, Owsley, Perry, Pulaski, Russell, Wayne, and Whitley. As all of these counties are strongly Republi-

THE USE AND THE ABUSE OF THE DISTRICT SCHOOL.

The Government wisely provides a school for every district. This gives a chance for every family to get education. How are things going in your district? Remember the school can't benefit children who don't attend!

The proper school age is from 6 to 15. Then children can learn but they can't earn. Let them go to school every day. See that they have clothes and books. That is the time for you to get your benefit from the public free school.

And let every child set out to finish the common school studies at 15 years of age. Let every teacher give his first attention to the younger children.

Here is the abuse of the school. Some teachers like to show that they can teach the so called "higher branches." They spend their time teaching Algebra to one or two big pupils. The younger children are neglected. And the big pupils do not get their Algebra so well as they would at a higher school.

The big pupils ought to go away to school where they will meet the bright young people from other districts, and can have the library, the scientific apparatus, the lectures and general advantages of a large school. Let the free school teach the children and teach them well. Let every boy and girl finish the free school at 15, and then take a few terms at some large school away from home.

can, with one or two exceptions, the Republican candidate is quite sure of election. In 1904 the Democratic candidate received 13,200 votes and the Republican, 31,349. The candidates for this nomination are Edwards Hurd and White. We have heard that the principal objection to White is that he has been too clean and straight a man for the politicians to use as they wished. If that is true it is a good recommendation for him. So far as the Republican party of Kentucky stands for justice and righteousness, a man who will "bolt" the party when it is going wrong is, in reality, more loyal to it than one who votes with it right or wrong. Let every Republican of the eleventh district go to the polls on Saturday and vote for the candidate whom he thinks to be most honest and upright, no matter how true or false he has been to the party machine in the past.

The trial of French, Abner and Smith for complicity in the murder of Marcus, is drawing to a close in Beattyville. On Tuesday, the 14th, the defendants, with Jim and Alex Hargis and Ed Callahan, were all on the stand and denied all accusations. It had been thought that Smith would make a clean breast of his knowledge of affairs, as he had been urged to do, it is said, by his relatives, but his testimony was like the others, only his memory was worse.

Coal Production of Kentucky in 1905.

Each year since 1896 the coal production of Kentucky has shown an increase in quantity, until in 1905 the output was two and a half times that of 1896. It amounted to 8,432,523 short tons, which had a value on the spot of \$8,335,532.

Kentucky's coal product is drawn from two great coal fields, one in the eastern and one in the western part of the State. The total area underlain by coal in the eastern counties of the State is estimated at 11,180 square miles. The coal-bearing areas in the western part of the State are estimated to contain 5800 square miles, or somewhat more than one-half of that of the eastern part of the State. Up to the close of 1904 the western district, however, produced considerably more than half the total output of the State, but the recent developments in Pike, Johnson, and other counties of the eastern portion of Kentucky lead to the impression that the production in the eastern district will soon exceed that of the western.

The data here given are taken from a forthcoming report of Mr. E. W. Parker, statistician of the United States Geological Survey, on the production of coal in 1905.

Nominated for Congress.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Aug. 15.—Robert C. Stinton, of Monticello, was nominated for congress Tuesday by the Democrats of the Fifth Iowa district.

RARE TREAT FOR BEREANS

C. S. Mason, Religious Secretary of the Cincinnati Y. M. C. A. Will Give a Lecture on His Travels in Foreign Countries—Public is Invited.

On Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, C. S. Mason, L.L.B. will give a reading entitled, "Notes of a Trip to Europe, Asia and Africa with Peeps into Palestine." It will be a semi-humorous account of his personal trip. It is free to the public. All invited at 7:30, Friday, August 17. West parlor Ladies Hall.

Letter from President Frost.

Wood's Hole, Mass., Aug. 4, '06.
Dear Readers of The Citizen:—I wish I could know what each one of you is doing this morning. Perhaps you would like to know what we are doing this summer.

It was my heart's desire to spend the summer preaching in the mountains, but good friends persuaded me that I might live longer and preach more in the end if I took some rest at this time. As soon as we began to rest we found we were very tired.

On the way we visited Mr. Wells in Buffalo, and saw Niagara Falls. Then we spent a day at Riga, near Rochester, N. Y., where my father was born, and where four generations of my family lived and died. Then we spent two days in New York with Stanley and Mr. Cady. Stanley is working on the New York Tribune, and is not so fortunate as Berea people in the matter of vacation. He only has two weeks, and loses his pay during that time. And just now it seems probable that he cannot even have that vacation this year!

One other visit was made in Connecticut upon relatives of my mother, living in a house 200 years old, where the great grandmother cast bullets for her husband to use at the battle of Bunker Hill!

Wood's Hole is on the heel of Cape Cod, a village with several bays and harbors. The government has a Fish Commission Station here, and there is a famous Summer School of Science here, with teachers from all parts of the country studying and working in the laboratories.

Every morning at three o'clock a fleet of some twenty fishing boats puts out, two men in each. They return before night. Some days two men catch nothing, and some days they catch as many as 2400 fish. Just now there is a remarkable fog upon the coast, so that vessels are in great danger of running into each other, or into the shore. For two days the fog bell has been tolling almost all the time, day and night.

This life at the seaside is so different from anything seen in our mountains! It reminds us of many things in the Bible—Christ's preaching from a boat, his gathering of the fishermen, all that is said in the Psalms about winds and waves.

Every day we bathe in the salt water, and Edith and Cleveland have both learned to swim.

We often think of our friends in Kentucky, especially the dear boys and girls of the Regiment of the King's Sons and Daughters. We hope they are all well, happy, and faithful in prayer and service. We want to see them all again at the beginning of the Fall term.

The dangers and trials of the sea are like the dangers and trials of life. Those who are not in boats have their fogs, and waves, and storms. And we must all learn to be calm and happy trusting in God. We have just learned by heart this beautiful song.

"Rocked in the cradle of the deep
I lay me down in peace to sleep,
Secure I rest upon the wave
For Thou, O Lord, hast power to save;
I know thou wilt not slight my call
For thou dost note the sparrow's fall,
And calm and peaceful is my sleep
Rocked in the cradle of the deep."
"And such the trust that still were mine
Through stormy winds swept o'er the brine,
And though the tempest's fiery breath
Roused me from sleep to wreck and death;
In ocean's cave still safe with Thee
The germ of immortality,
And calm and peaceful is my sleep
Rocked in the cradle of the deep."

Faithfully yours,
Wm. Goodell Frost.

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III. Short practical articles on health by Dr. Cowley; several programs for exhibition for rural schools, etc., etc.

Those Seventy-five Cent Knives.

They are going like hot cakes. Last week about twenty of them were taken by new subscribers in one day. In fact they were going so fast we telegraphed an order to a large factory for a new lot, and they sent us all they had and said it would take the factory about three weeks to make up enough knives to fill our order. Send in your new subscription quick if you want one of these "Trapper" pocket knives, with two strong blades of razor steel. One dollar will bring you the knife and the Citizen for one year—Only for new subscribers.

Roosevelt and Boone.

They would make a great combination of fighters, wouldn't they! Next week we print the president's own story of "Daniel Boone and the Founding of Kentucky." You will want to cut that out and save it. Tell your friends about it and that "Trapper" knife and they will be sending in their subscriptions if they are wise.

Typhoid Fever.

Over fifteen hundred people died of this disease in Kentucky last year, and some serious cases are now in districts where the Citizen comes. This disease is quite preventable and in next week's issue we expect to publish the directions for its prevention, given by our State Board of Health. Every one should read them carefully, cut them out and help to stamp out this disease by following the directions.

Berea Sunday School Convention.

The Annual Sunday School Convention of the Glade District will be held at the Baptist Church, of Berea, Saturday August 18, 1906, 2 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. The following program has been arranged: 2:00, Song Service, led by W. C. Gamble; 2:15, Devotional Exercises, Rev. T. A. Kitchen; 2:30 The Bible School, a, Its Work, Dr. Cook; b, Its Opportunities, Mrs. Thomson; c, Address, Miss C. Fox; Song, Mr. and Mrs. Gamble; 3:20 Some Information Concerning the General Makeup of the Bible, Rev. Amos Stout; 3:40, The Pastor's Relation to the School, Rev. C. A. Van Winkle; 4:00, The Parent's Relation to the School, Prof. Lewis; 4:20, What the Scholar Expects From His Teacher, Mr. Flanery; Evening Session.—7:15, Song Service, 7:30, Devotional Exercises, T. J. Osborne; Song, Mr. and Mrs. Gamble; 7:45, Address, "Value of Systematic Bible Study," Prof. Rumold; 8:15, Address, "How to Keep the Young Men in the Bible School," C. S. Mason, Cincinnati, O. Collection taken for District Work.

Bonaparte to Visit Oyster Bay.

Secretary Bonaparte will leave Washington Thursday for Lenox and will be absent from the department about three weeks. On September 1 Secretary Bonaparte will be at Oyster Bay and will be with the president on board the Mayflower and review the North Atlantic fleet.

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